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FOR: SYSTEM FOR INTERCONNECTING STANDARD TELEPHONY  
COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT TO INTERNET PROTOCOL NETWORKS

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of February 27, 2002, kindly enter the following  
amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace originally-filed claim 11 with new claim 11, as follows:

3-11. (Amended) A method of transmitting facsimile over an Internet Protocol  
(IP) network to a destination facsimile device, said facsimile data originating as a standard  
facsimile transmission from a source facsimile device or as an electronic mail transmission  
from an IP client source device, said method comprising:

receiving incoming transmissions from the IP network, each of said incoming  
transmissions comprising transmission data transmitted within a connectionless network  
layer of the IP network, said transmission data comprising overhead data and

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